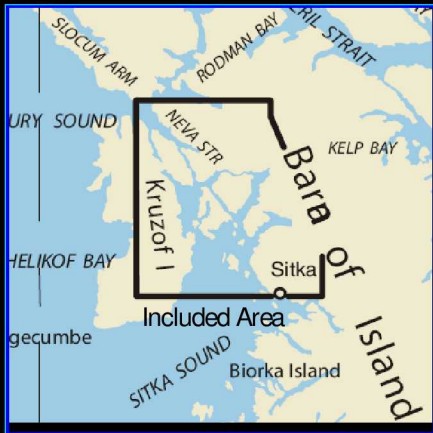


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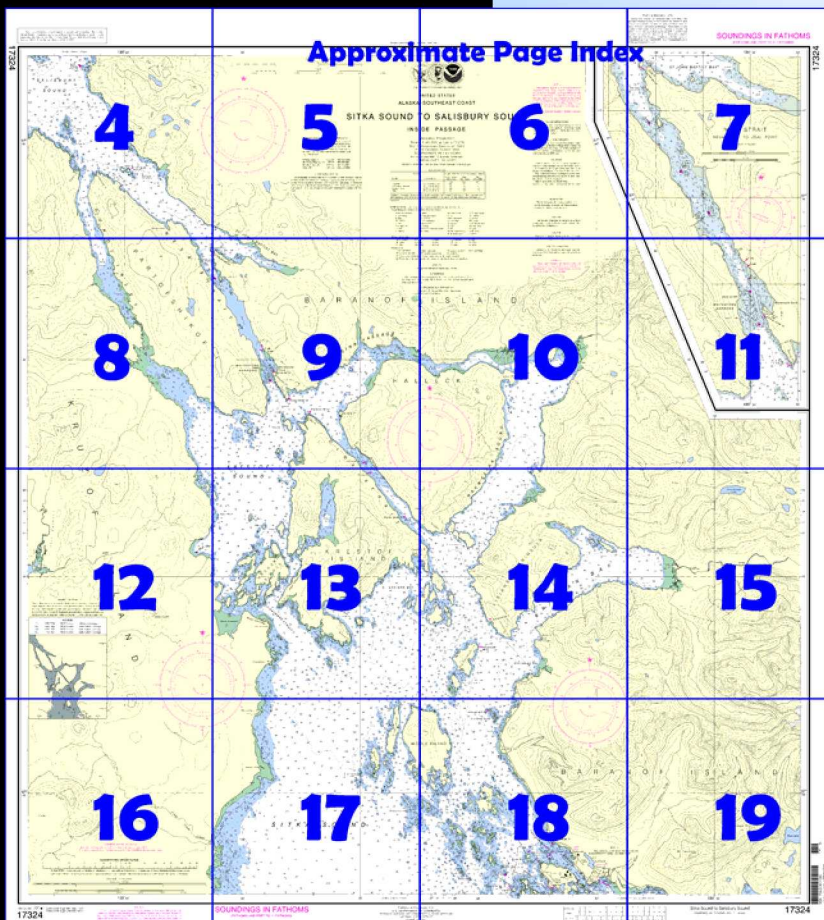
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Notice to Mariners Correction Status

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[Coast Pilot 8, Chapter 12 excerpts]

(194) **Watson Point** (57°04.0'N., 135°21.8'W.) is on the E side of the NW approach to Sitka Harbor, about 0.9 mile NW of Harbor Rock.

(195) **Kasiana Islands** are a group of islands on the W side of the NW approach to Sitka Harbor.

(197) **Old Sitka Rocks** are a group of rocks that bare at all stages of the tide and extend 0.5 mile from the E shore. The westernmost rock of the group covers only at highest tides

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(199) **Starrigavan Bay** is a bight, open W, on the E side about 1.5 miles N of Old Sitka Rocks, and just S of the entrance to Katlian Bay. "Old Sitka," now a State Historical Monument, is on the point dividing the two

coves on the E side of the bay. In 1799, the Russian fort of St. Michael stood on this point.

(200) The Alaska State Ferry Terminal is on the S shore of Starrigavan Bay.

(202) **Katlian Bay** has its entrance about 2 miles NNE of Old Sitka Rocks and extends in a NE direction, curving E near its head. At 2.5 miles within the entrance to the bay an arm extends NW; fair anchorage can be had in this arm NW of the group of islands on the N side in 11 to 20 fathoms, and very small vessels can anchor in **Cedar Cove**, the narrow part at the head of this arm, in 4¼ to 7 fathoms.

(204) **Olga Strait**, between **Krestof Island** and **Halleck Island**, is 4 miles long in a NW direction, with an average width of 0.2 mile, and forms a part of the inside route from Sitka to Salisbury Sound. Off **Creek Point** the velocity is 1.6 knots on the flood and 1.2 knots on the ebb.

(205) **Middle Shoal** is 2.2 miles from the SE entrance to Olga Strait, midchannel between two small streams, one on each side.

(206) **Nakwasina Sound** separates the E side of Halleck Island from Baranof Island. The sound is contracted at its S end to about 0.2 mile by **Crosswise Islands** and **Beehive Island**. Small vessels can anchor in the cove W of Beehive Island in 5 to 6 fathoms.

(207) **Nakwasina Passage** separates the N side of Halleck Island from Baranof Island. In Nakwasina Passage the currents are, in general, too weak or variable to be predicted. However, in the channel about 1.5 miles W of **Allan Point**, the current velocity is 2.0 knots on the flood and 1.6 knots on the ebb.

(208) **Krestof Sound** is W of Krestof Island and connects Neva Strait with Sitka Sound, through Hayward Strait. **Sound Islands** are at the NE part of the sound. The sound is out of the line of travel and is of no commercial value. At its S end the sound is filled by **Magoun Islands**, with a narrow channel E and W of them and a boat channel through them. **East Channel** is clear in midchannel; the dangers are shown on the chart. **West Channel** should not be attempted except by small craft.

(209) **De Groff Bay** opens N of East Channel; its entrance is narrow, has a depth of 3¾ fathoms, is overgrown with kelp, and should only be attempted by small craft. **Port Krestof** is a broad bight on the S side of West Channel; an anchorage can be had in 6 to 13 fathoms, taking care at high water not to get on the flat that fills the S end of the port to a distance of about 0.5 mile out to an islet 12 feet high. A better anchorage can be had in **Mud Bay**, W of the Magoun Islands, taking care to avoid the 3-foot shoal about 130 yards off the SE point of the bay. **Hayward Strait**, connecting East Channel with Sitka Sound, has a good channel through it, but the shores are fringed with rocks and reefs, especially at its S entrance, where they extend almost to midchannel from the W side, and well off from the shore on the NE side.

(212) **Neva Point Reef** extends about 75 yards S from Neva Point on the E side of the S entrance to Neva Strait. It is marked by **Neva Point Reef Light 12** (57°14'04"N., 135°33'07"W.), 17 feet (5.2 m) above the water, with a red triangular daymark on a pile off the point.

(213) **Neva Strait** between Baranof Island and **Partofshikof Island**, together with Olga Strait, is the inside route between Salisbury Sound and Sitka Sound. The strait is narrow throughout and foul and requires careful piloting especially in **Whitestone Narrows**.

(216) **Whitestone Cove**, NE of **Whitestone Point**, is a good anchorage with depths from 5 to 7 fathoms.

(219) **Highwater Island**, wooded and prominent, is connected with the E shore at low water.

(220) **Entrance Island**, small and wooded, is close to **Zeal Point**.

Entrance Island 24 (57°17'30"N., 135°36'21"W.), 30 feet (9.1 m) above the water and shown from a skeleton tower with a red triangular daymark on the SW point of the island, marks the N entrance to Neva Strait.

(223) **Gilmer Cove** is on the SW shore 1.2 miles NW of Entrance Island. It is 250 yards long by 75 yards wide, with a flat 150 yards wide at the head, and is a fit anchorage only for small craft in 7 fathoms.

Table of Selected Chart Notes

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Aids, dangers, cable areas and hydrography removed from this area. Use chart 17327.

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COLREGS, 80.1705 (see note A)

International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972.

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UNITED STATES
ALASKA-SOUTHEAST COAST

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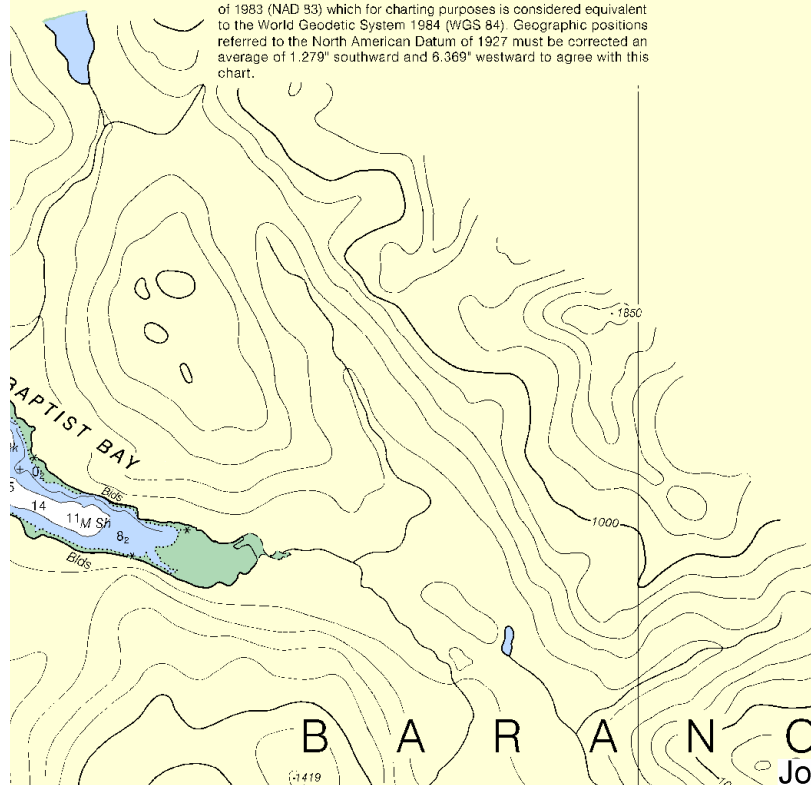
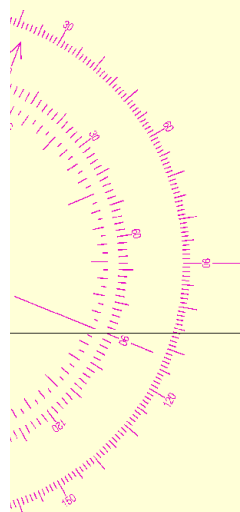
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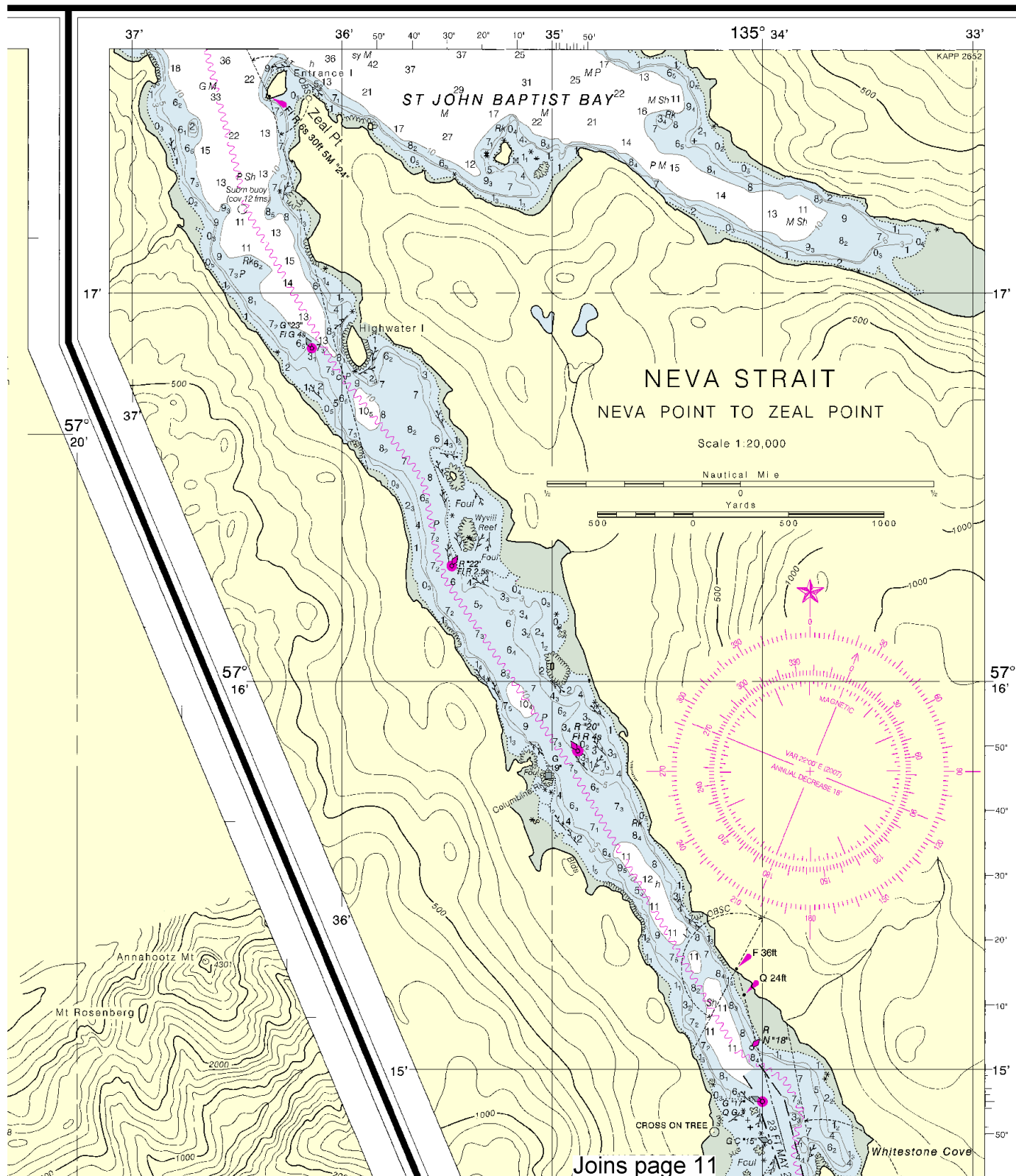
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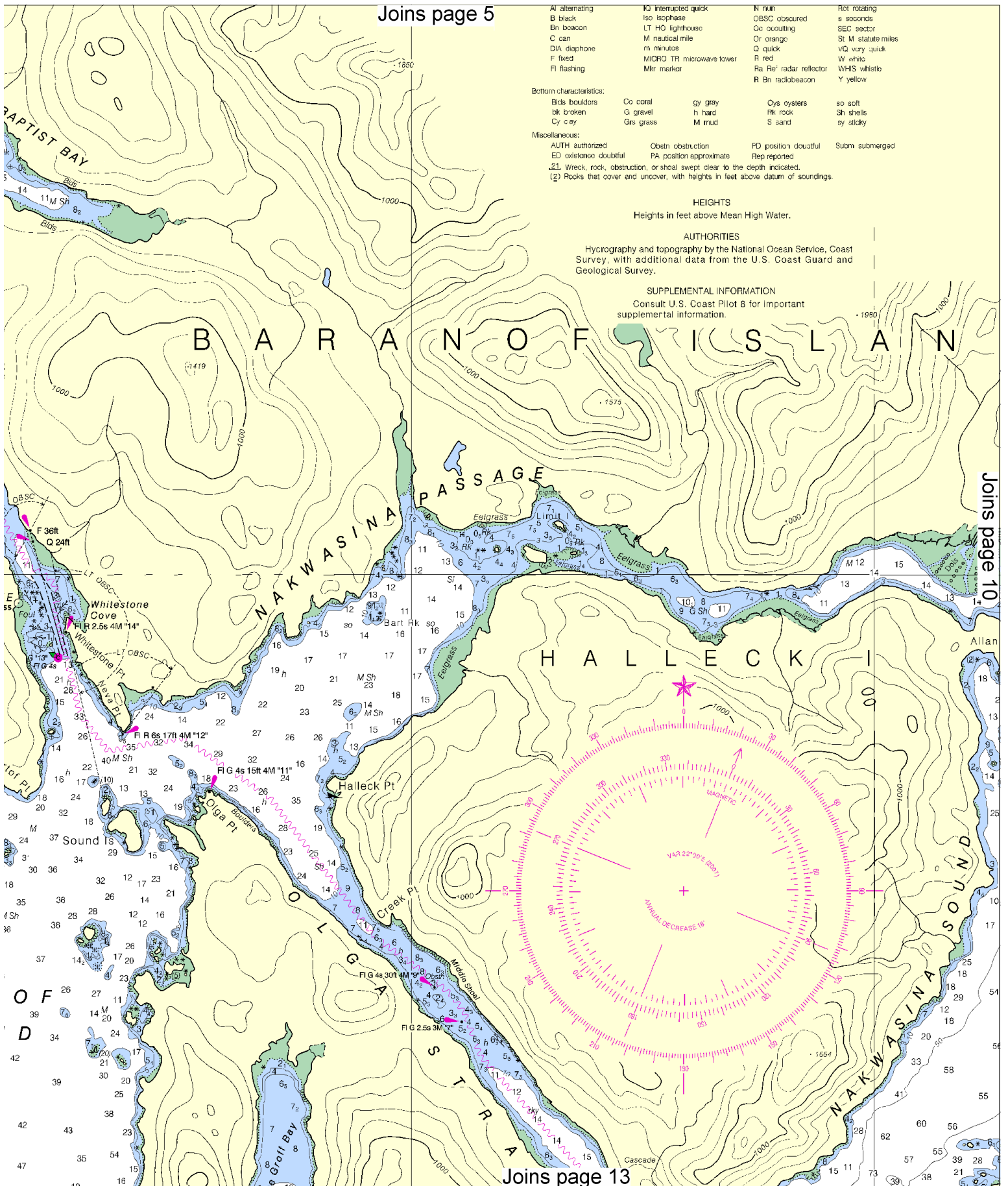
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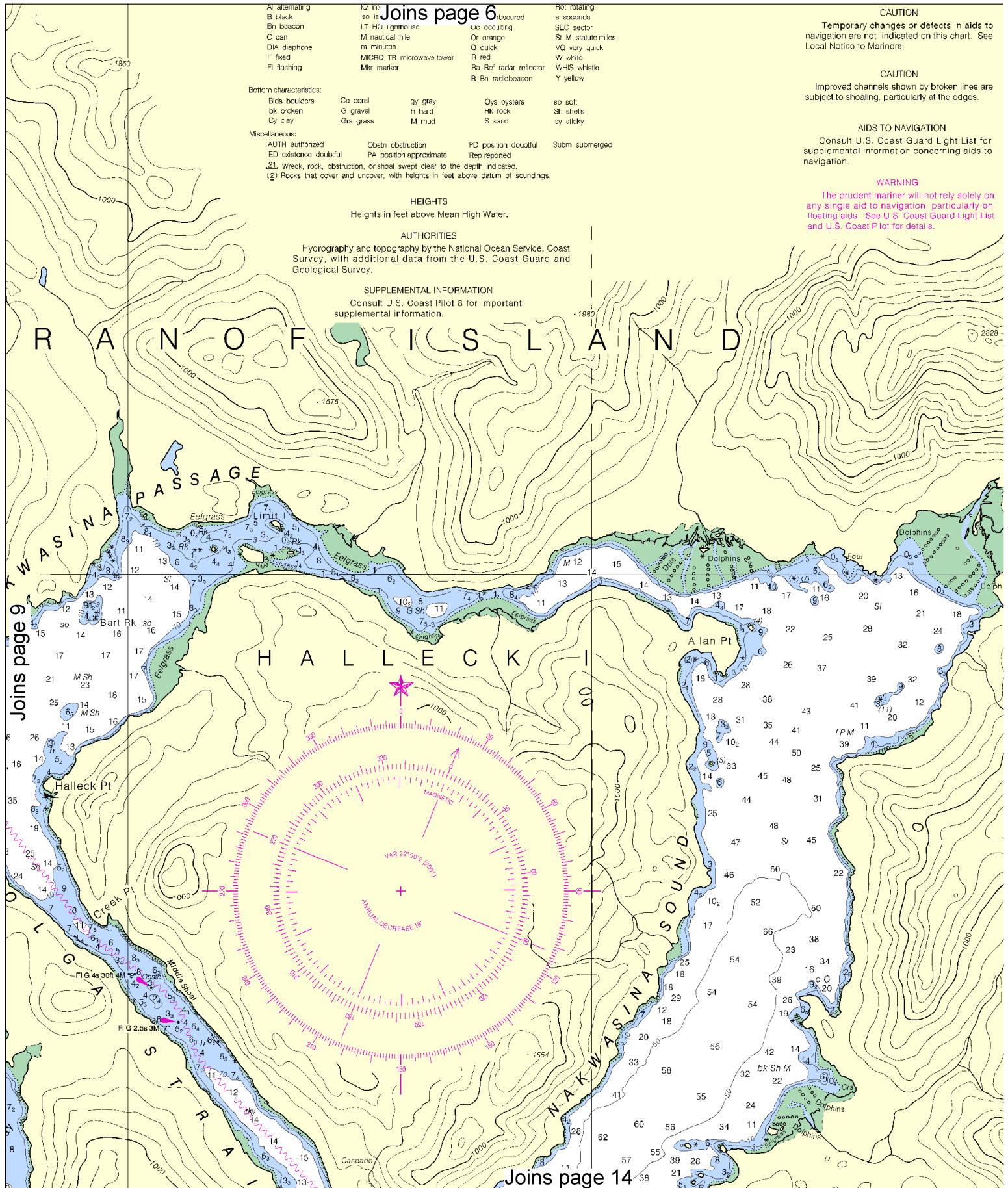
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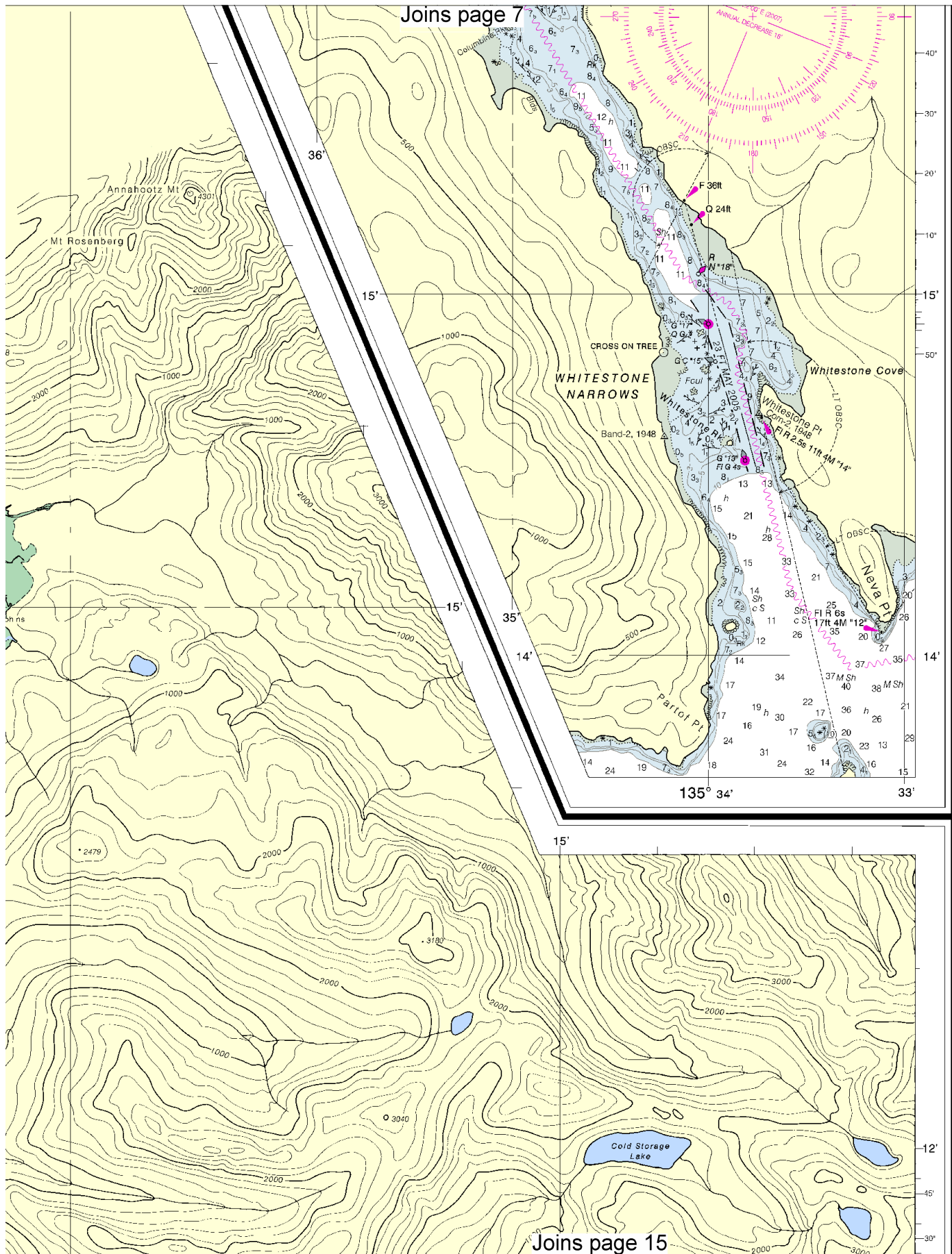
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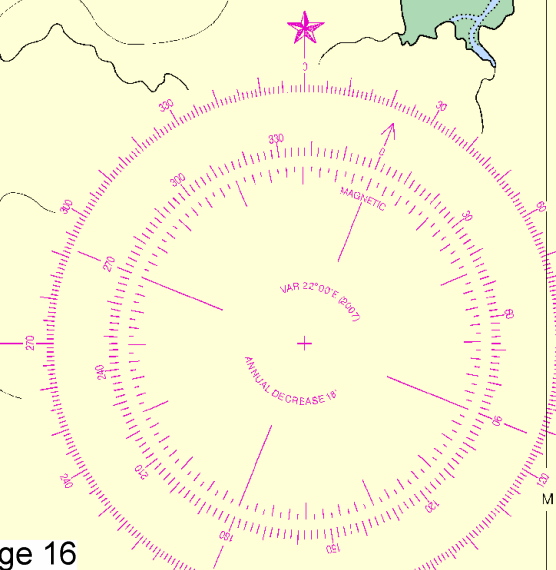
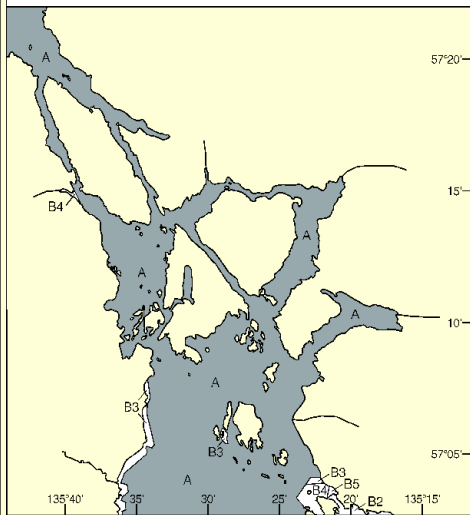
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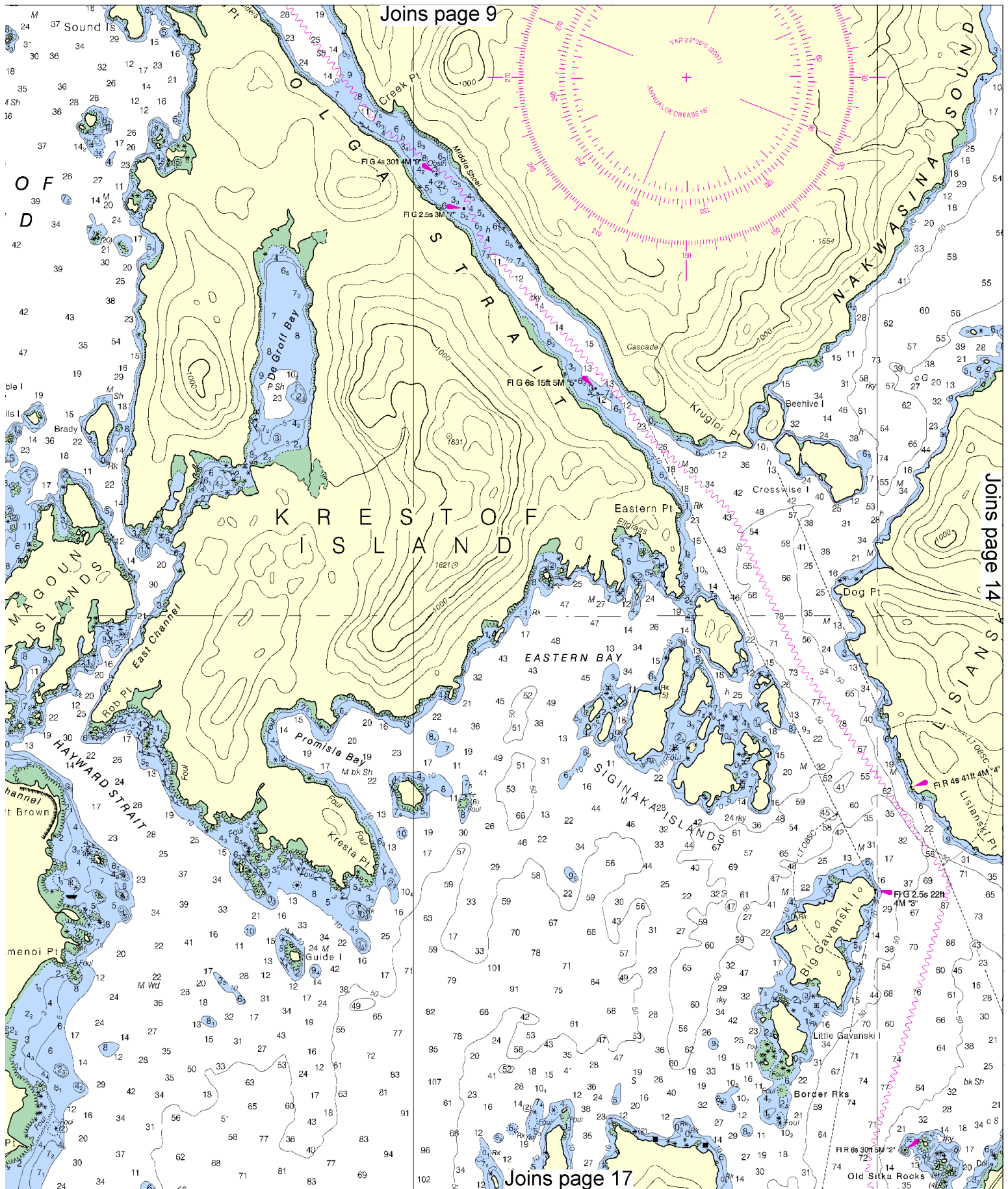


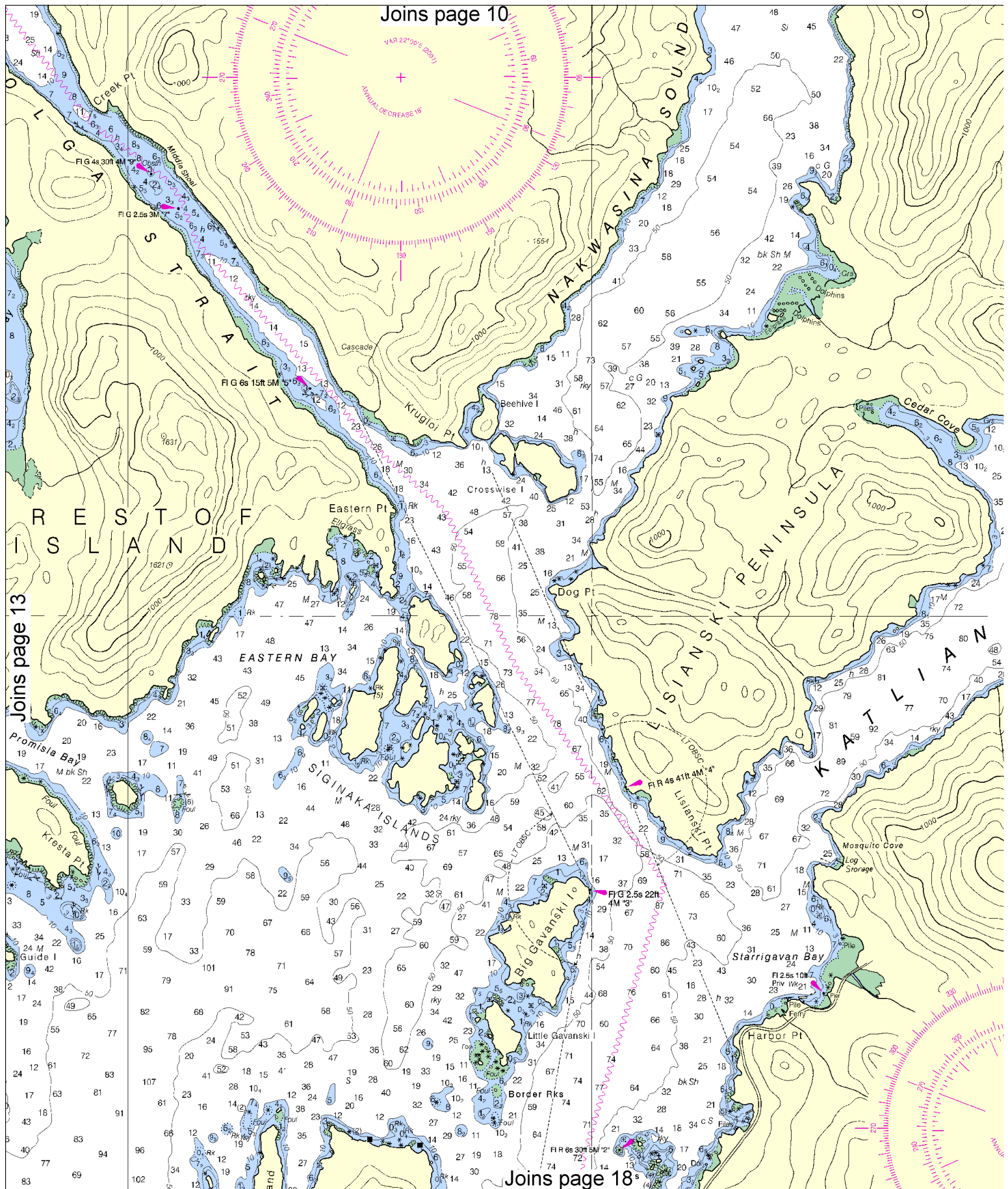
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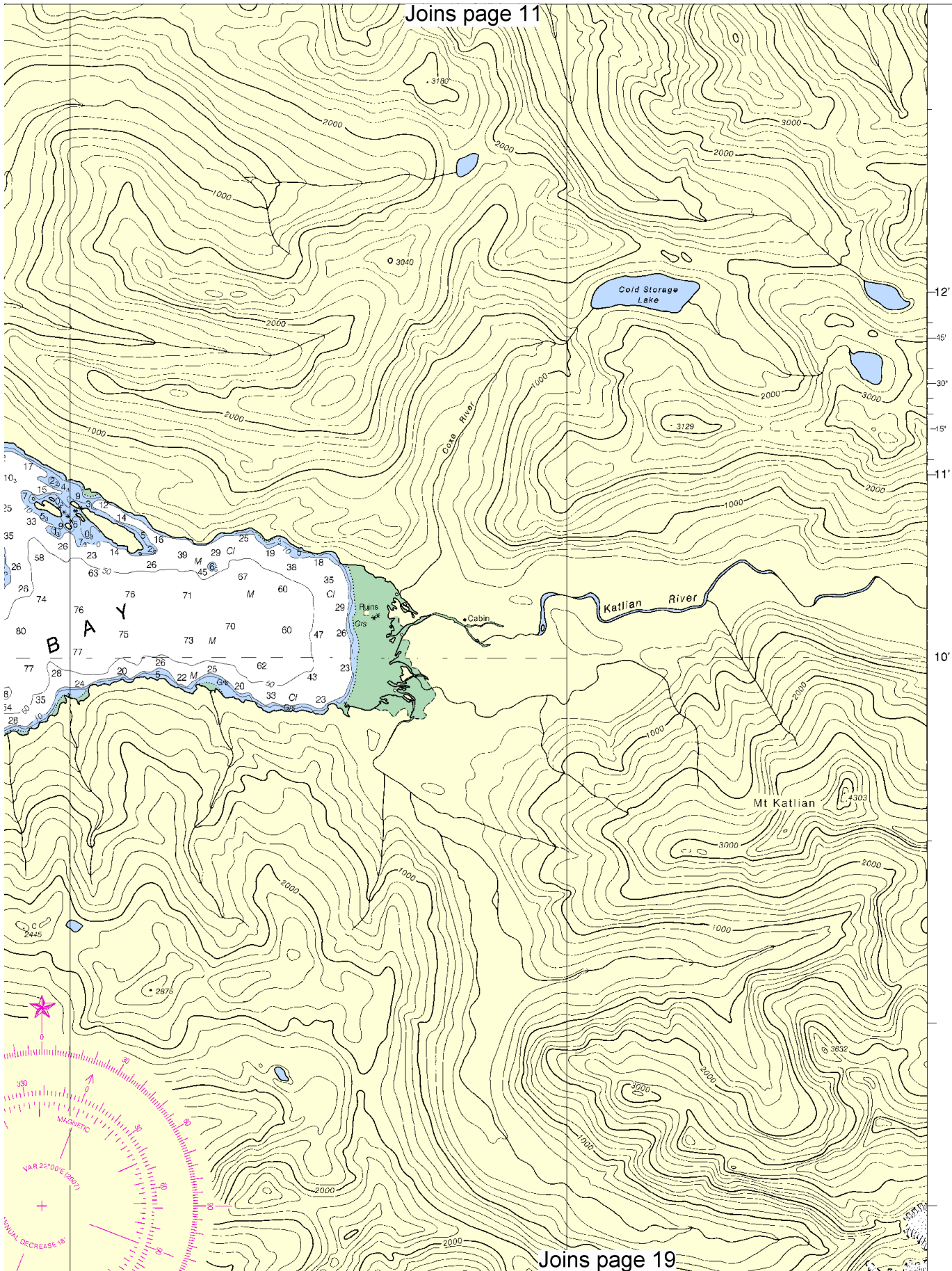
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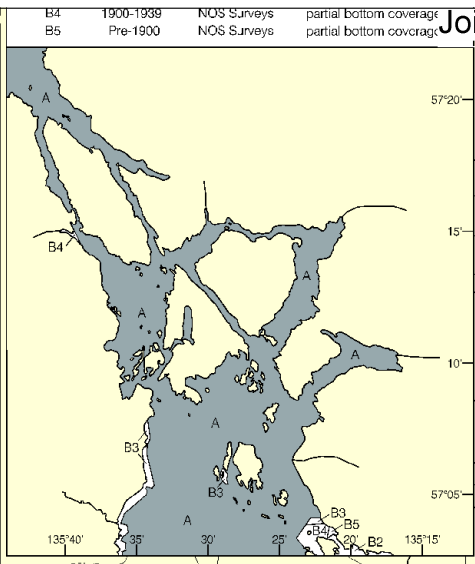
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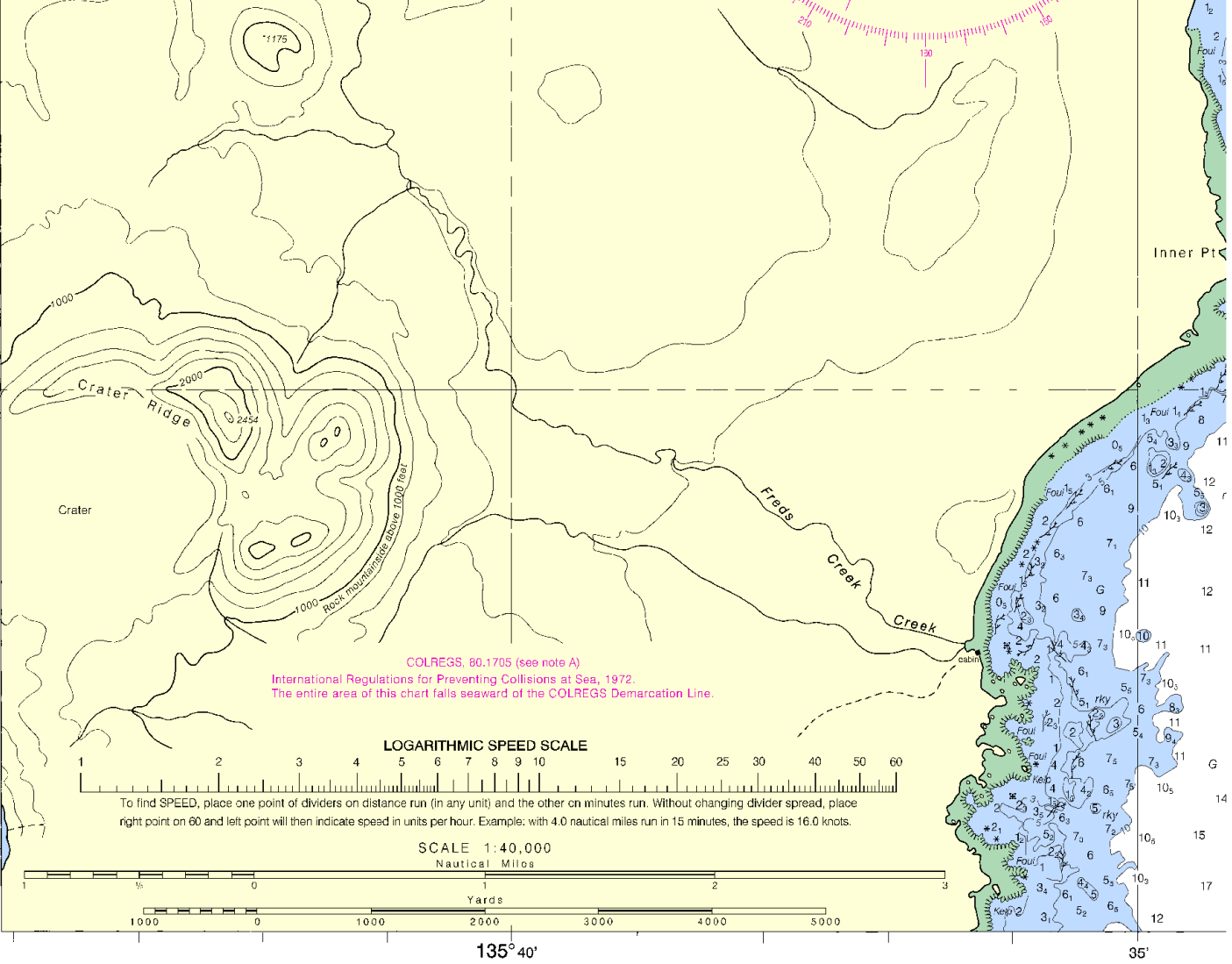
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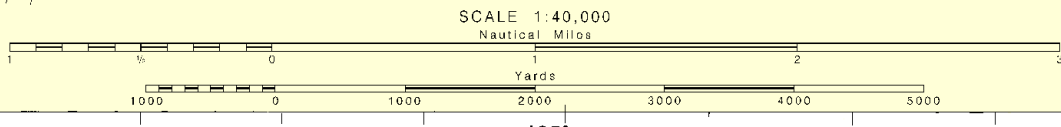
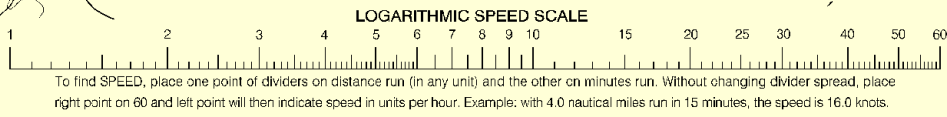
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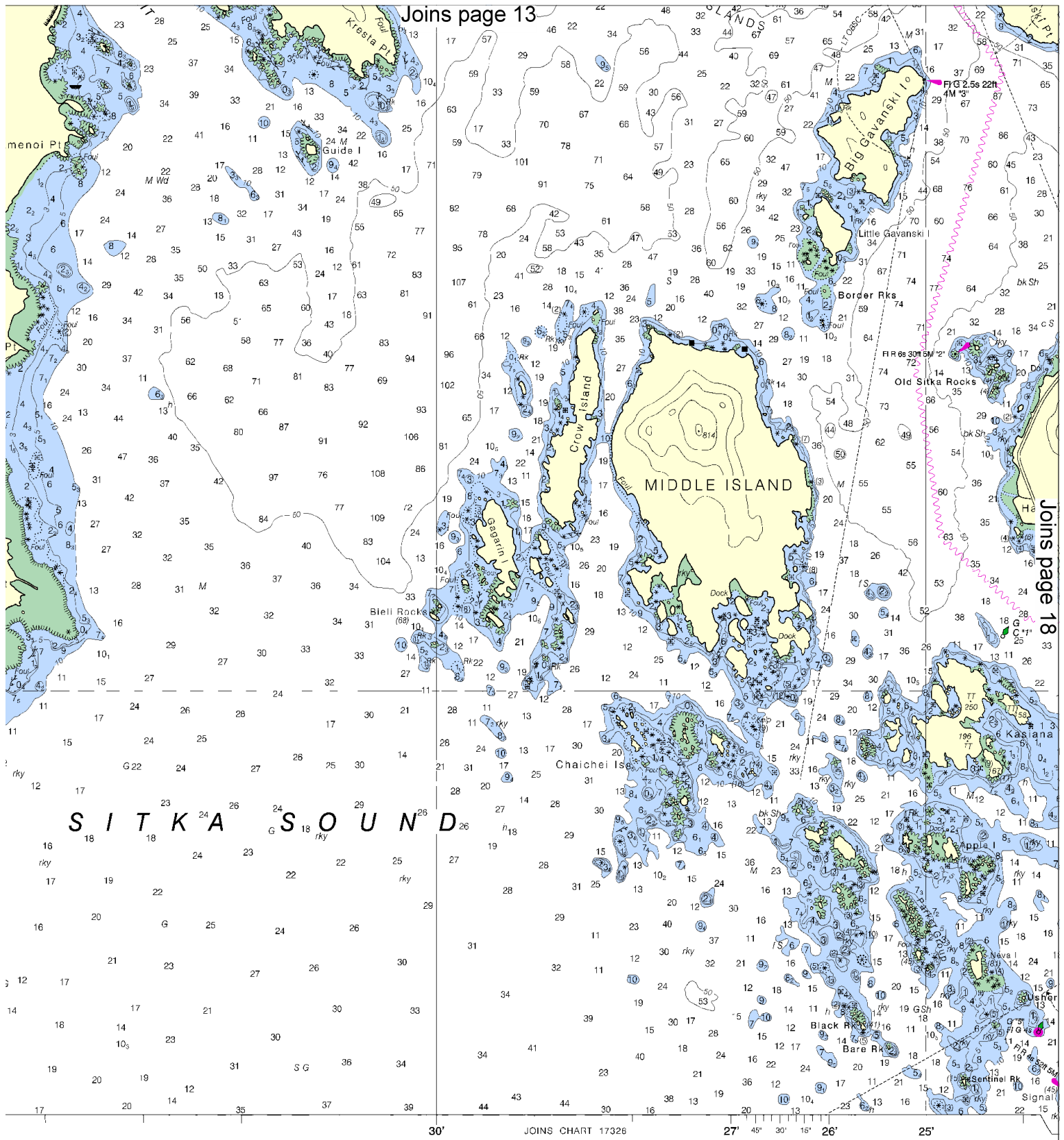


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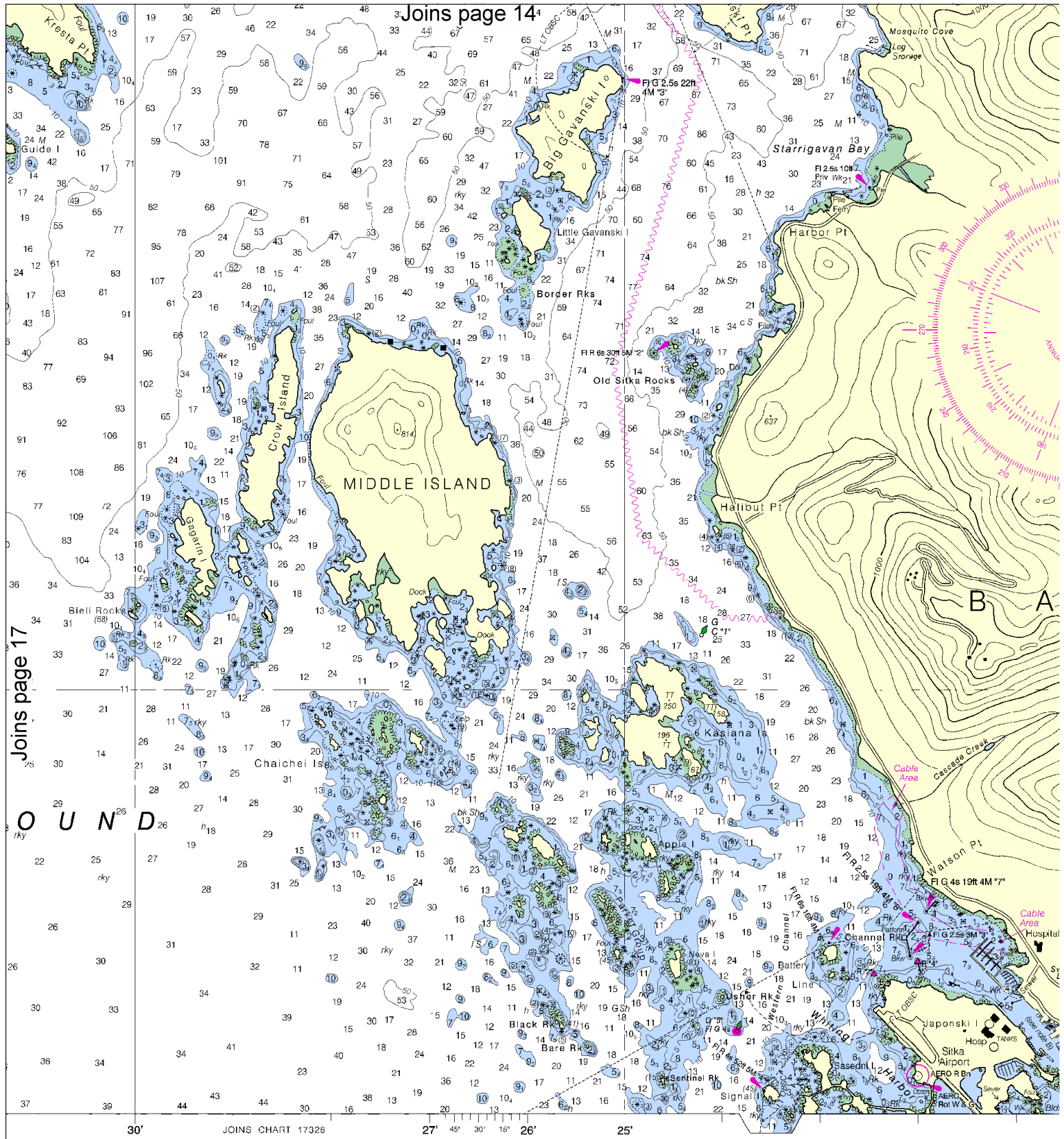
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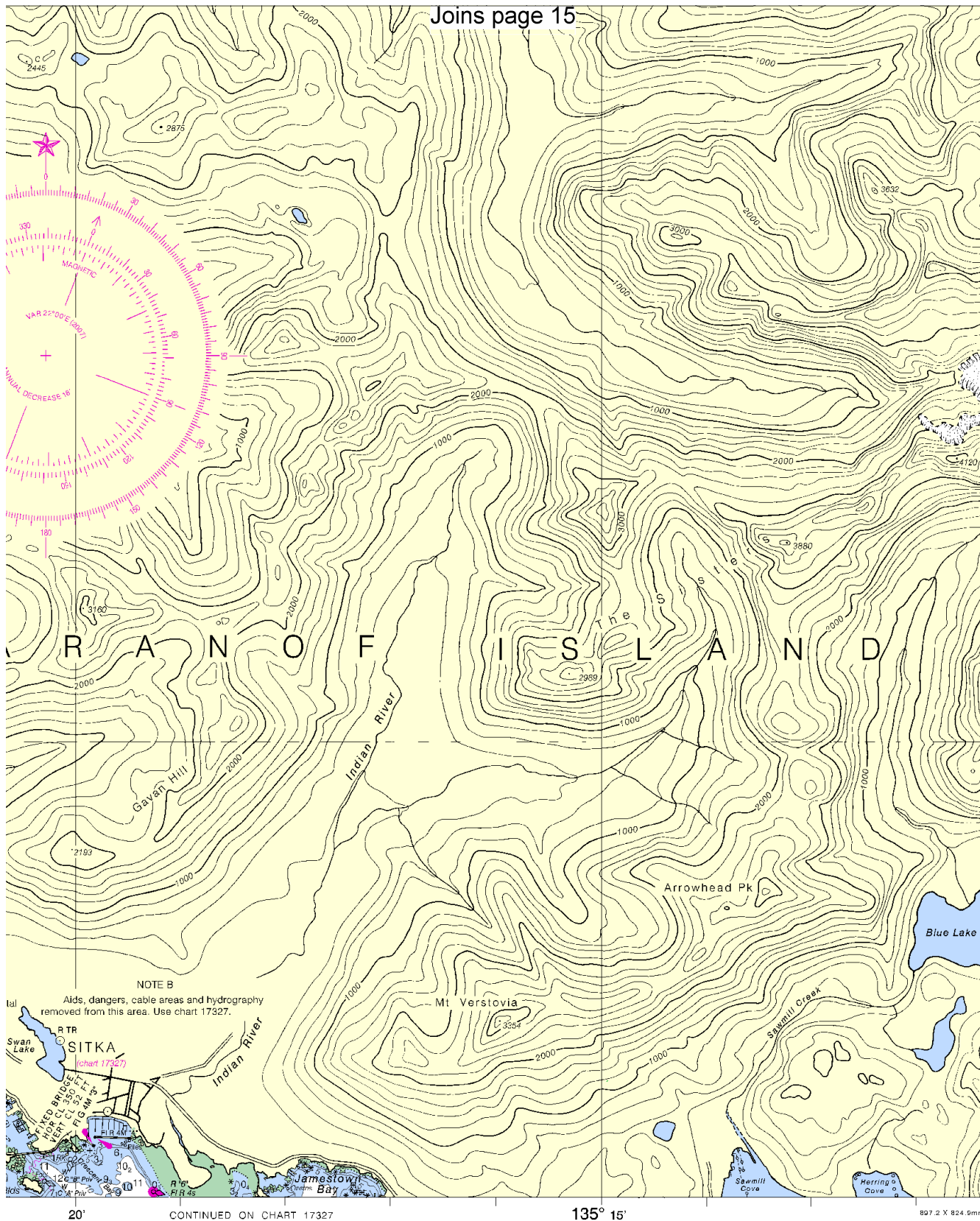
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METERS	1 2 3



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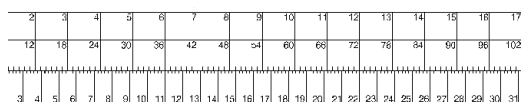
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Sitka Sound to Salisbury Sound
SOUNDINGS IN FATHOMS - SCALE 1:40,000

17324

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

VHF Marine Radio channels for use on the waterways:

Channel 6 – Inter-ship safety communications.

Channel 9 – Communications between boats and ship-to-coast.

Channel 13 – Navigation purposes at bridges, locks, and harbors.

Channel 16 – Emergency, distress and safety calls to Coast Guard and others, and to initiate calls to other vessels. Contact the other vessel, agree to another channel, and then switch.

Channel 22A – Calls between the Coast Guard and the public. Severe weather warnings, hazards to navigation and safety warnings are broadcast here.

Channels 68, 69, 71, 72 & 78A – Recreational boat channels.

Distress Call Procedures

1. Make sure radio is on.
2. Select Channel 16.
3. Press/Hold the transmit button.
4. Clearly say: "MAYDAY, MAYDAY, MAYDAY."
5. Also give: Vessel Name and/or Description; Position and/or Location; Nature of Emergency; Number of People on Board.
6. Release transmit button.
7. Wait for 10 seconds – If no response Repeat MAYDAY Call.

HAVE ALL PERSONS PUT ON LIFE JACKETS !!

Mobile Phones – Call 911 for water rescue.

Coast Guard Search & Rescue (Pacific Coord) – 510-437-3700

Coast Guard Search & Rescue (RCC Juneau) – 907-463-2000

NOAA Weather Radio – 162.400 MHz, 162.425 MHz, 162.450 MHz, 162.475 MHz, 162.500 MHz, 162.525 MHz, 162.550 MHz.

Getting and Giving Help – Signal other boaters using visual distress signals (flares, orange flag, lights, arm signals); whistles; horns; and on your VHF radio. You are required by law to help boaters in trouble. Respond to distress signals, but do not endanger yourself.



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